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We will write

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = L$$

$$\varepsilon > 0 \quad \delta > 0$$
$$|f(x) - L| < \varepsilon \text{ if } 0 < |x - a| < \delta$$

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Also (Hw). Read 2.5 - Continuity.

This is an important milestone.

In some respects, this was the  
impetus (driving force) to pin  
down a precise definition of limit.

You will also be expected to know def<sup>n</sup>  
of continuity

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indeterminate  $\infty - \infty$

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$$\begin{cases} (a-b)(a+b) \\ = a^2 - b^2 \end{cases}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{-3x}{\sqrt{x^2-3x} + x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{x(-3)}{\sqrt{x^2} \sqrt{1-\frac{3}{x}} + x}$$

indeterminate  $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$

$\sqrt{x^2-3x} = \sqrt{x^2} \sqrt{1-\frac{3}{x}}$

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{ab} &= \\ \sqrt{a} \sqrt{b} & \\ \sqrt{(-2)(-3)} & \end{aligned}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x(-3)}{x(\sqrt{1-\frac{3}{x}} + 1)}$$

because we care only about positive  $x$ ,  
 $\sqrt{x^2} = |x| = x$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-3}{\sqrt{1-\frac{3}{x}} + 1} = \left[ \frac{-3}{2} \right]$$

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because we care only about ~~positive~~  $x$ ,  
 $\sqrt{x^2} = |x| = x$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{+3}{\sqrt{1-\frac{3}{x}} + 1} = \frac{+3}{2}$$

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$$18) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[3]{\frac{3x^7 - 4x^5}{2x^7 + 1}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt[3]{x^7} \sqrt[3]{3 - \frac{4}{x^2}}}{\sqrt[3]{x^7} \sqrt[3]{2 + \frac{1}{x^7}}}$$

To learn math, you  
must invent it  
yourself.

$$= \sqrt[3]{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^7(3 - \frac{4}{x^2})}{x^7(2 + \frac{1}{x^7})}}$$

$$= \sqrt[3]{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3 - \frac{4}{x^2}}{2 + \frac{1}{x^7}}}$$

$$= \sqrt[3]{\frac{3 - 0}{2 + 0}}$$

$$= \sqrt[3]{\frac{3}{2}}$$

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$$34) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt{x^2+ax} - \sqrt{x^2+bx}}{1} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{x^2+ax} + \sqrt{x^2+bx}}{\sqrt{x^2+ax} + \sqrt{x^2+bx}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(x^2+ax) - (x^2+bx)}{\sqrt{x^2+ax} + \sqrt{x^2+bx}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(a-b)x}{\sqrt{x^2} \left( \sqrt{1+\frac{a}{x}} + \sqrt{1+\frac{b}{x}} \right)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a-b}{\sqrt{1+\frac{a}{x}} + \sqrt{1+\frac{b}{x}}} = \frac{a-b}{2}$$

HI!! ( ^ \_ ^ )